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AMCONSUL ZAGREB

C O N F I D E N T I A L BELGRADE 1331

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, YO, GW

SUBJECT: ASSASSINATION OF YUGOSLAV CONSUL GENERAL

1. FRG AMBASSADOR VON PUTTKAMER TOLD CHARGE EVENING FEB 26 THAT THERE WAS NO DOUBT THAT MURDERED YUGOSLAV CONSUL GENERAL EDVIN ZDOVC WAS UDBA AGENT IN FRG. VON PUTTKAMER SAID IN DAYS IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING HIS ASSASSINATION, ZDOVC HAD BEEN INVOLVED IN SURVEILLANCE OF EMIGRE MEETINGS IN FRANKFURT AREA.

2. SECUTIY AT GERMAN EMBASSY BELGRADE WAS SUBSTANTIALLY HEIGHTENED RECENTLY BUT IS NOW RELAXING AND GERMANS WERE NOT OVERLY CONCERNED ABOUT THEIR SAFETY IN BELGRADE. VON PUTTKAMER SAID HE WAS A LITTLE MORE WORRIED ABOUT THE SAFETY OF HIS CONSULATE IN ZAGREB, STATING THAT HE THOUGHT THAT THE CROATIAN NATIONALISTS WERE PERHAPS THE MOST EXTREME ELEMENTS AND INCLINED TO TERRORIST ACTS.
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